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Plaintiff,

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v.

**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT** 

THE MINISTRY OF TRADE OF THE REPUBLIC OF IRAQ,

Defendant.

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel of record for Plaintiff, MONSOON SHIPPING AND TRADING LIMITED, certifies that there are no corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of said party which are publicly held.

Dated: Port Washington, New York April 17, 2008

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